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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF: Carl Joseph KRAENZEL *et al.*
SERIAL NO.: 10/091,573
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO: 042846-0312968
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ART UNIT: 3629
EXAMINER: TAN D. NGUYEN
FOR: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING SYNERGISTIC OPPORTUNITIES WITHIN AND BETWEEN ORGANIZATIONS

**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANIED WITH A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Decision on Appeal mailed July 30, 2009 ("Decision on Appeal"), and in conjunction with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 033975 (Ref. No. 042846-0312968).